

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant: KUNIHICO IWAMOTO ET AL. )  
Serial No.: 10/550,753 ) Group Art Unit: 1792  
Filed: September 23, 2005 ) Examiner: Keath T. Chen  
For: FILM FORMATION APPARATUS ) Confirmation No. 4361

Customer No. 23413

**AMENDMENT FILED WITH REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)**

VIA EFS-Web  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Sir:

This Amendment is submitted in response to the Final Office Action dated September 10, 2007. Applicants hereby respectfully petition for a one-month extension of time. If there are any additional charges with respect to this Amendment or otherwise, please charge them to Deposit Account No. 06-1130.

Please amend the Application as follows: